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**Dog Training Classes
Registration, Sept-11**

Training classes now offered at 4 Paws Animal Hospital in Wynantskill! We'll have outside classes in a fully fenced ring, all classes are 6 weeks in duration. Class descriptions and qualifications are on the back of this form. To sign up for these classes, make a check out to **4 PAWS** and return it to the address above with this form filled out. We need to receive your registration to guarantee your spot. If a class pre-enrollment is less than 5 dogs we may cancel the class, so, make sure if you intend on taking a class that you get your registration form into us!

Multiple dog discounts apply! If you enter either the same or a different dog from the same household in more than one class (can be either the same class or a different one/ones), take \$10 off of the second dog's registration fee. Anyone who refers a new student who ends up taking a class will receive \$15 off of their next session.

Class start dates are subject to change. You will receive an email confirmation that includes class start date.

Please fill in your dog's name(s) next to class(es) you want to take in the "Dog Attending" (yellow) column:

Day	Time	Class	Instructor	Dog Attending	Fee
Monday <i>(starts 9/5)*</i>	6:00 PM	Agility 101 **	Lisa Norris		\$95 / 6 wks
	7:00 PM	Puppy 101 ***	Lisa Norris		\$115 / 6 wks
Tuesday <i>(starts 9/6)*</i>	6:00 PM	A Well Mannered Dog	JoAnne Mortimer		\$115 / 6 wks
Wednesday <i>(starts 8/31)*</i>	6:00 PM	Beyond Beginners Agility	Trisha Stall		\$95 / 6 wks
Thursday <i>(starts 9/1)*</i>	6:00 PM	Linda M's Jumping Foundations (part 2)	Trisha Stall		\$95 / 6 wks
	6:45 PM	Linda M's Jumping Foundations (part 1)	Trisha Stall		\$95 / 6 wks
Saturday <i>(starts 9/3)*</i>	9:00 AM	Puppy Prep ***	Lisa Norris		\$115 / 6 wks
	10:00 AM	Agility 101 **	Lisa Norris		\$95 / 6 wks
	11:00 AM	Beyond Beginners Agility	Lisa Norris		\$95 / 6 wks

* **NOTE: start date may change**
 ** for Dogs at least 7 months of age
 *** for puppies 7 months of age and younger
 I was referred by: _____ (if applicable)

Your Name:		Address:		Phone Number:	
City:		State:	Zip:	Email Address:	
1 st Dog's Name:		Breed(s):		Age:	Male/Female:
2 nd Dog's Name:		Breed(s):		Age:	Male/Female:

4 Paws Animal Hospital and FDW Group Waiver: I (we), the undersigned, agree to hold 4 Paws Animal Hospital and FDW Group, including their members, officers, directors, agents and employees, and owners of the premises upon which events are held and their employees, harmless from any claim for loss or injury that may have been alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or upon the premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim. I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss of this dog by disappearance, theft, death or otherwise, and from any claim for damage or injury to the dog, whether such loss, disappearance, appearance, theft, damage or injury, be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the parties aforementioned, or by the negligence of any other person, or any other cause or causes. I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting there from, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves) or on account of damage to property arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in events at this facility, howsoever such injuries, death or damage to property may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or have been alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents or any other persons. I understand that 4 Paws has the right to expel my dog, without a refund, for inappropriate conduct or aggressive behavior as determined by the instructor.

I hereby agree to all of the above waiver:
 Signed _____ Date _____ Printed Name: _____

For office use only: Pd Amt: \$ _____ Date _____ Check # _____ Received by: _____

Class Descriptions and Qualifications:

(not all of these classes may be offered in any given session)

AGILITY - you've seen it on TV, now experience it yourself! Agility is simply the most athletic and fun bonding activity to do with your dog, period.

Agility 101: The beginning of the fun - we'll teach your dog to jump through hoops, literally! You'll get an introduction to the wonderful world of dog agility. Obstacles plus foundation for future agility classes are taught. Must have taken A Well Mannered Dog, Puppy Prep, or have permission of instructor.

Linda Mecklenburg's Jumping Foundations: In this class, we will be following step by step the training steps in Linda Mecklenburg's "Developing Jumping Skills" book. We will teach our dogs how to be better jumpers; how to collect and extend over jumps, switch from one mode to the other seamlessly, and have better jumping form. Included in this class will be basic foundation drills as well as upper level collection, extension, and mixed jumping exercises. Any level dog can benefit from this class

Beyond Beginners Agility: Approval of Instructor, next level after Agility 101. Students will work to full height on equipment; plus sequencing & jumping skills, and basic handling.

Competition Agility: Currently competing in any venue(s). Must be able to perform all obstacles at competition height. We'll work on full courses plus shorter sets focusing on things such as complex handling strategies, discriminations, and distance work.

RALLY OBEDIENCE – this dog sport combines elements of traditional obedience, agility (no two courses are the same), & freestyle (it looks like a dance when you do it right!). Rally is judged similar to traditional obedience, but you can praise, talk to, and encourage your dog as much as you want, and the exercises are more varied and just plain fun to perform!!

Introduction to Rally Obedience: For dogs who have not taken obedience class(es) or have not passed the CGC test.

Intermediate Rally Obedience: For dogs who have taken classes or competed in obedience, who have passed the CGC test, or have previously taken a Rally Obedience class.

Canine Good Citizen (CGC) - an AKC program to show that your dog is a good citizen in society. Any dog, purebred or mixed breed, can take the test and get the title. This 5 week program includes the test fee, and takes you through the exercises that will be on the test, building on the skills needed each week to give you the best chance possible to pass!

Puppy 101: (7 months of age & younger). Does your puppy have too much energy? Do you want to prepare him for a happy, healthy life? Then this class is for you! We will immerse you in all the fun that owning a puppy is, and we'll help you teach your puppy the following:

- to focus on you, the giver of all good things
- to sit, down and stay (for future obedience work)
- to love massage and handling (for future vet and groomer visits)
- to love going to his mat and/or crate when asked
- and more!

Plus, of course, we'll include puppy playtime for socialization and energy release!

Puppy Prep: (7 months of age & younger). If you're planning to do dog sports with your puppy, then this class is for you! We'll help you teach your dog: focus work; sit, down and stay; navigating through/over/under weird objects (for future agility work); crate games; and massage & handling. Of course we'll also include puppy playtime for socialization!

A Well Mannered Dog – So, you say your dog jumps up on you when you've got your work clothes on? Maybe you're having trouble getting your dog to come when called when the neighbor is walking his dog. Or maybe when you take a walk your dog walks you! These things can be hard for a dog to learn in the real world! In this class you'll learn how to get your dog to be well mannered, and you and him will both be happier. Because, you know, a trained dog is a happy dog!

You'll be teaching your dog:

- to pay attention to you regardless of other things (like dogs, squirrels, and the like) competing for his attention!
 - to come when called, fast and enthusiastically
 - the basics: you know, sit, down, stay - all great skills to have in life
 - to walk nicely at your side and not pull you
 - and more...
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